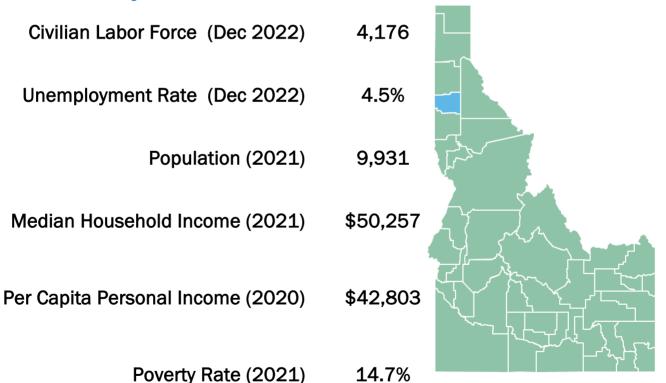


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# **Benewah County Economic Overview**







# 1. Benewah County Demographic Characteristics, 2021 5-Year ACS

	Benewah County	Benewah County (%)	State of Idaho (%)	United States (%)	
Total Population	9,509	100.0%	1,811,617	329,725,481	
Race and Ethnicity					
White alone, not hispanic	8,526	89.7%	86.5%	68.2%	
Black or African American alone, not hispanic	102	1.1%	0.7%	12.6%	
Native American alone, not hispanic	1,079	11.3%	1.3%	0.8%	
Asian alone, not hispanic	37	0.4%	1.4%	5.7%	
Hispanic, or Latino (of any race)	411	4.3%	12.9%	18.4%	
Gender					
Male	4,851	51.0%	50.4%	49.5%	
Female	4,658	49.0%	49.6%	50.5%	
Age					
Median age	45.9	-	36.8	38.4	
Under 18 years	2,149	22.6%	25.3%	22.5%	
Over 18 years	7,360	77.4%	74.7%	77.5%	
21 years and over	6,744	70.9%	65.4%	68.3%	
Over 65 years	2,148	22.6%	15.8%	16.0%	
Educational Attainment (Population 25 years and Over)					
Less than 9th grade	133	1.4%	2.2%	3.3%	
High school graduate (with equivalencies)	2,448	25.7%	18.7%	18.2%	
Some college, no degree	1,485	15.6%	16.4%	13.4%	
Associate's degree	626	6.6%	7.0%	6.1%	
Bachelor's degree	904	9.5%	14.0%	14.7%	
Graduate or professional degree	324	3.4%	7.3%	9.5%	
Median Household Income	\$50,257	-	\$63,377	\$69,021	

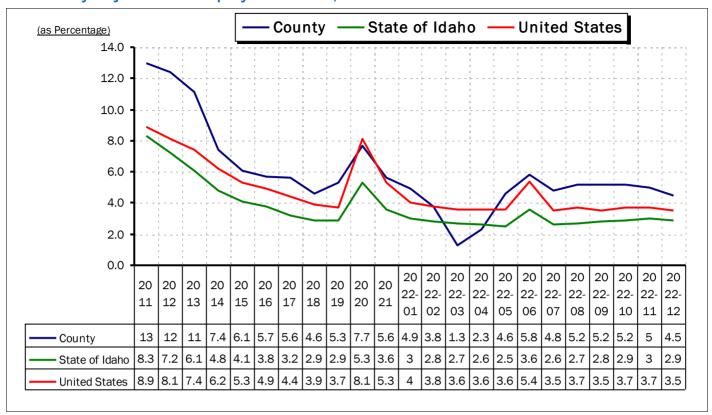
Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

# 2. Labor Force Growth, December 2021 to December 2022

	Labor Force	Employment	Unemployed	<b>Unemployment Rate</b>
December 2022	4,176	3,986	190	4.5%
December 2021	4,041	3,855	186	4.6%
YoY % Change	3.3%	3.4%	2.2%	-0.1%

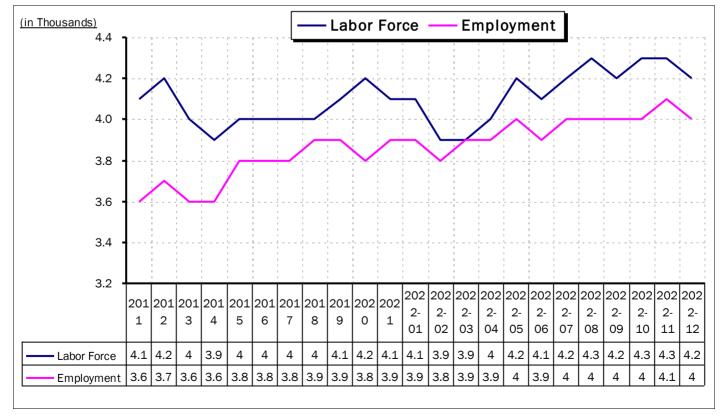
Source: Idaho Department of Labor- Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS)

# 3. Seasonally-Adjusted Unemployment Rate, 2011 to December 2022



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# 4. Seasonally-Adjusted Labor Force and Employment, 2011 to December 2022



Source: Idaho Department of Labor- Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS)

# 5. Industry Employment and Wages, 2011, 2020, and 2021

	201	1	202	20	202	1
Supersector	Average Employment	Average Wages	Average Employment	Average Wages	Average Employment	Average Wages
Total Covered Wages	3,313	\$32,924	3,404	\$43,593	3,435	\$46,955
Natural Resources and Mining	182	\$40,771	224	\$52,792	213	\$55,733
Construction	89	\$27,955	94	\$37,259	98	\$34,977
Manufacturing	482	\$46,548	542	\$54,283	549	\$59,635
Trade,Transportation, and Utilities	724	\$29,461	669	\$43,676	683	\$45,464
Information	37	\$34,119	40	\$39,862	39	\$46,181
Financial Activities	81	\$24,227	74	\$38,317	74	\$46,999
Professional and Business Services	101	\$29,636	89	\$56,678	100	\$66,929
Education and Health Services	768	\$31,338	787	\$42,272	771	\$46,783
Leisure and Hospitality	152	\$9,923	177	\$12,501	195	\$14,469
Other Services	59	\$25,470	85	\$28,591	88	\$27,550
Public Administration	632	\$34,979	615	\$43,962	619	\$46,711

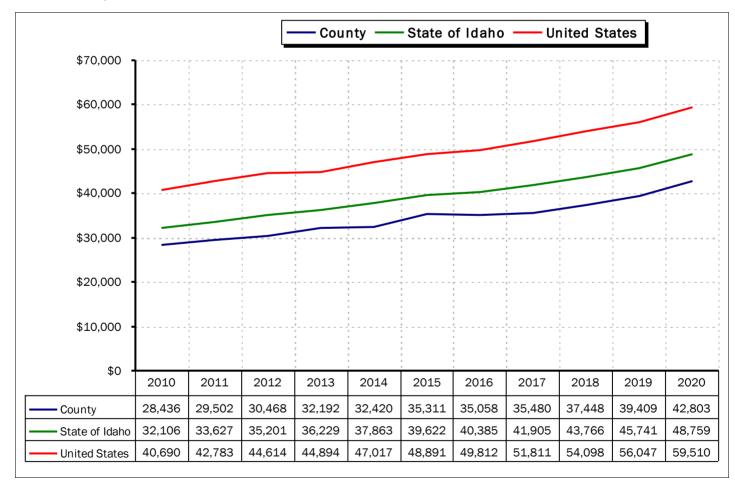
Source: Idaho Department of Labor- Quarterly Census of Employment Wages (QCEW)

#### 6. Top Employers, 2021

Employer	Ownership	Employment Range
Couer D 'alene Tribe	Local Government	250 - 499
Coer D'alene Tribal Health Authority	Local Government	100 - 249
Jack Buell Trucking	Private	100 - 249
St. Maries School District	Local Government	100 - 249
Benewah Community Hospital	Local Government	100 - 249
Valley Vista Care	Private	100 - 249
Plummer-worley School District	Local Government	050 - 099
Benewah County	Local Government	050 - 099
Coeur D'alene Tribal Government	Local Government	050 - 099
Public Lands Deptment	State Government	050 - 099

NOTE: Only employers that have given the Department permission to release employment range data are listed. Source: Idaho Department of Labor- Quarterly Census of Employment Wages (QCEW)

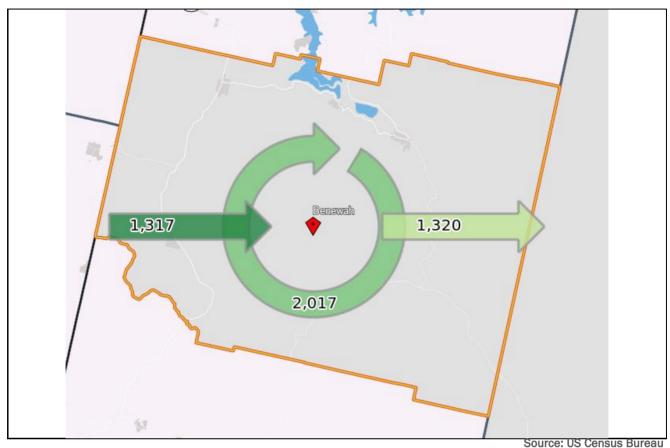
#### 7. Real Per Capita Income, 2010 to 2020



Source: U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis

#### 8. Labor Force Commuting Patterns, 2019

It is estimated that 2,017 workers lived and worked in Benewah County in 2019. Another 1,317 workers were employed in Benewah County but lived outside, while 1,320 workers commuted to other counties for work.



9. Top 10 Cities Where People Who Work in Benewah County Live, 2019

City of Residence	Count of All Jobs	Percentage of Total Jobs
St. Maries	594	17.8%
Plummer	172	5.2%
Coeur d'Alene	113	3.4%
Post Falls	73	2.2%
Spokane , WA	56	1.7%
Spokane Valley , WA	54	1.6%
Hayden	41	1.2%
Moscow	28	0.8%
Worley	23	0.7%
De Smet	22	0.7%

Note: "All Jobs" includes private and public sector jobs. It also includes a count of workers with multiple jobs. Source: US Census Bureau- Longitudinal Employer-Household Dynamics (LEHD)

# 10. Top 10 Cities Where People Who Live in Benewah County Work, 2019

City of Employment	Count of All Jobs	Percentage of Total Jobs
St. Maries	1,331	39.9%
Plummer	324	9.7%
Coeur d'Alene	142	4.3%
Spokane , WA	75	2.2%
Boise City	73	2.2%
Moscow	52	1.6%
Spokane Valley , WA	40	1.2%
Post Falls	38	1.1%
Hayden	25	0.7%
Lewiston	24	0.7%

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